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Grain and Feed

Weekly Rice Price Update

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Report Highlights:

Weekly rice price and trade update.

Includes PSD changes: No
Includes Trade Matrix: No
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INDICATIVE PRICES (WEEK ENDING JUN 18):

THAILAND: EXPORT(FOB)PRICES FOR VARIOUS GRADES OF RICE (USD/M.T.)									
	EXPORTER OBSERVATIONS							PERIOD AVG.	
	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6	#7	CUR.	PRV.
F WR 100 B	290	280	300	290	302	310	285	294	294
WR 100 B	178	178	175	180	173	178	175	177	178
PB 5%	192	188	172	180	174	180	180	181	179
WR 5%	170	170	165	165	167	172	170	168	169
WR 15%	162	162	156	150	155	163	160	158	157
WR 25%	151	150	144	145	150	151	150	149	147
WR 35%	146	145	140	140	145	145	145	144	142
A 1 SUP	133	133	128	130	133	133	128	131	130
A 1 SPEC	132	132	127	128	131	131	126	130	128
SOURCE: AVERAGE ACTUAL PRICES ARE RECEIVED FROM IMPORTERS.									

MARKET TONE

EXPORT PRICES FOR SOME GRADES OF RICE CHANGED SLIGHTLY IN RESPONSE TO DEMAND FOR EACH TYPE OF THE SUPPLIES WHICH REQUIRED FOR DELIVERY.

THE FOLLOWING ARE REPORTED RICE EXPORTS (AS IS BASIS):

			YEAR	
WEEK	QUANTITY	4-WK AVG	TO DATE	YR AGO
ENDING	(MT)	(MT)	(TMT)	(TMT)
MAY 26	165,781	143,746	2,457	2,351
JUN 2	163,615	154,919	2,621	2,484
JUN 9	113,331	150,207	2,734	2,594
JUN 16	128,884	142,903	2,863	2,684

UNOFFICIAL EXPORTS DURING JUN 10-16 AMOUNTED TO 128,884 TONS, UP 15,553 TONS FROM LAST WEEK BUT DOWN 14,019 TONS FROM THE 4 WEEK MOVING AVERAGE OF 142,903 TONS. EXPORTS FOR JAN 1 - JUN 17 TOTALED 2,867,421 TONS, COMPARED WITH 2,684,683 TONS DURING THE SAME PERIOD IN 2000.

WEEKLY RICE SALES

PRIVATE REGISTERED RICE SALES WHICH WE WERE ABLE TO TRACK FOR THE PERIOD MAY 21-25, MAY 28 - JUN 1 AND JUN 4-8 ARE AS FOLLOWS:

MOVEMENT DATA	MAY 21-25	MAY 28-JUN 1	JUN 4-8
WEEKLY SALES	80,657	46,991	36,249
4 WK SUM	356,443	314,174	276,173
4 WK MOV. AVER.	89,111	78,544	69,043
CUM. WEEKLY SALES	1,315,452	1,362,443	1,398,692